

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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EVELINA CALCANO,

Plaintiff,

-against-

ALAMO DRAFTHOUSE CINEMAS, LLC.,

Defendant.
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LORNA G. SCHOFIELD, District Judge:

19 Civ. 11386 (LGS)

ORDER

WHEREAS, the initial pretrial conference in this matter is scheduled for March 19, 2020;

WHEREAS, the parties requested that the Court stay discovery pending resolution of Defendant's proposed motion to dismiss. No other significant issues were raised in the parties' joint letter or proposed case management plan; it is hereby

ORDERED that the March 19, 2020, initial pretrial conference is **CANCELLED**. If the parties believe that a conference would nevertheless be useful, they should inform the court immediately so the conference can be reinstated. The parties' request to appear at the conference telephonically is denied as moot. It is further

ORDERED that, by **March 19, 2020**, the parties shall file a joint letter proposing a briefing schedule for Defendant's motion to dismiss. It is further

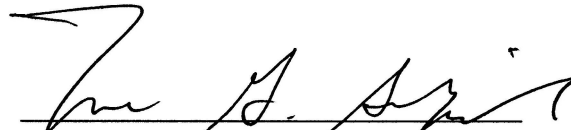
ORDERED that the parties' request to stay discovery pending resolution of Defendant's motion to dismiss is **DENIED**. The case management plan and scheduling order will issue in a separate order. The parties' attention is particularly directed to the provisions for periodic status letters, and the need for a pre-motion letter to avoid cancellation of the final conference and setting of a trial date. It is further

ORDERED, regarding settlement discussions, if and when the parties are ready to proceed with a settlement conference with the assigned Magistrate Judge or mediation in the

Court's mediation program, they shall file a joint letter on ECF requesting a referral.

The parties did not justify the extended discovery periods in their submitted proposed case management plan and scheduling order. The parties should be aware that the Court does not extend the deadlines for fact and expert discovery absent compelling circumstances.

Dated: March 16, 2020
New York, New York

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lorna G. Schofield', written over a horizontal line.

LORNA G. SCHOFIELD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE